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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This letter is responsive to the Examiner's Office Action mailed July 22 2005 and is timely filed before the date on which a response is due, namely October 22, 2005.

Amendments to the Specification: There are no amendments to the Disclosure.

Amendments to the Claims: There are no amendments to the Claims.

Amendments to the Drawings: There are no amendments to the Drawings.

Remarks: begin on page 2 of this paper.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a)

I hereby certify that, on the date shown below, this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service in an envelope with sufficient postage as first class mail addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-13450.

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